

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant:

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Title:

Covers, Systems And Methods For Covering Deck

Components

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## **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312**

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. section § 1.312, applicant hereby submits the following amendment after notice of allowance and respectfully requests that the application be amended as set forth below.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 4 of this paper.